

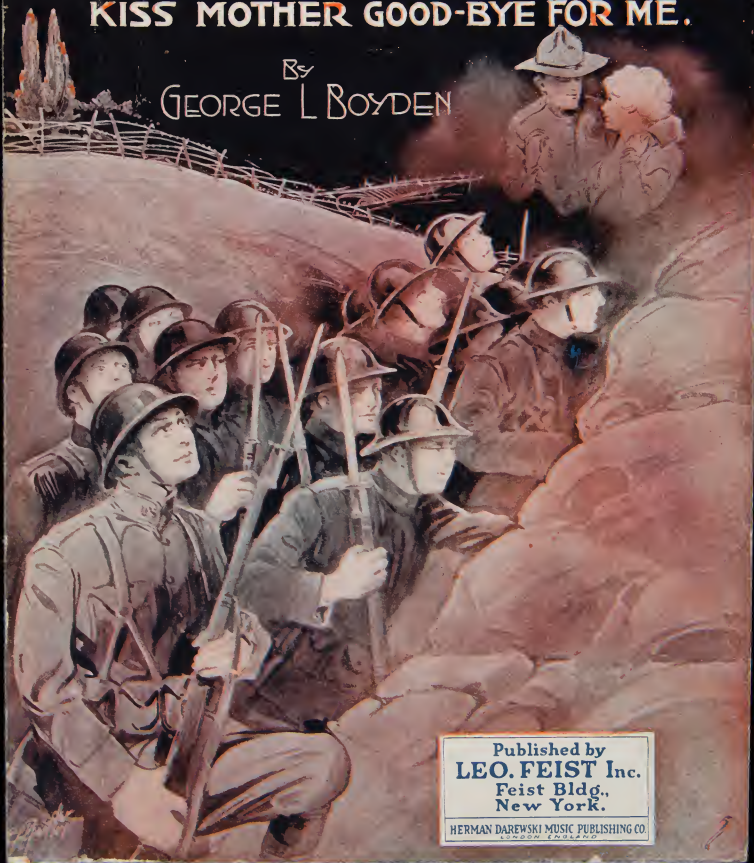
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If I'm Not At The Roll-Call

(Kiss Mother Goodbye For Me)

GEORGE BOYDEN

Moderato

'Twas just be-fore the bat-tle, boys, That day I'll ne'er for-get, A
We all felt glad our lit-tle lad, Came thru the fight all right, His

lad be-side me in the trench as brave as I have met; Tho'
cour-age in the bat-tle gave us help to win the fight, It

death was near, he had no fear, 'Twas ve-ry plain to see, For
made his dear old moth-er's heart, As proud as it could be; I

just be-fore the bat-tle charge, He smil-ing-ly said to me: _____
wrote and told her just the words, Her brave boy had said to me: _____

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CHORUS *With feeling*

"If I am not at the roll - call, Af - ter the fight - ing is done,

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Wont you be kind to my moth - er, Just for her sol - dier

son? Tell her I know how she loves me, And prays for me

con - stant - ly, May an - gels at - tend her, Brave com - rade be -

friend her, And kiss her good - bye for me." me."

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"GOD SPARE OUR BOYS OVER THERE"

(THE ARMY AND NAVY SONG-PRAYER)

CHORUS

Slowly

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It features a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment. The tempo is marked 'Slowly'. The key signature has one sharp (F#), and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are: 'God, spare our boys "o-ver there," Keep them in your ten-der care, Moth-ers are kneel - ing, loved ones ap - peal - ing, Angels, pro-tect them some-where, Hear our fer-vent pray'r, On bend-ed knee, hear our hearts' ros-a - ry, And spare our boys "o-ver there." there!'. The piano part includes dynamic markings like 'p-f' and 'p'. The score ends with a double bar line and repeat signs.

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tend her, Brave com - rade be - friend her, And kiss her good bye for me. _____ me. _____

1. _____ 2. _____

(Won't You Wander Back to Me)

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this song will be our
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